

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, lines 6-12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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As a general description with reference to Fig. 1, the present invention concerns the use of a connector clip 40 having a shear member[[42]] 64 in a park brake cable system. The shear member [[42]] 64 allows the application of a very high tension to the cable system 44 to eliminate voids in the system and accelerate the cable stretch that would otherwise occur during use. The shear member [[42]] 64 also allows a calculated detensioning of the cable system 44 to a residual tension level desired for consistent performance.